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) Group Art Unit: 3643

) Examiner: Darren W. Ark

) COMMENTS ON STATEMENT FOR
) REASONS OF ALLOWANCE

<p>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING</p> <p>I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 ON <u>8/31/04</u></p> <p>SHERIDAN ROSS P.C.</p> <p>BY: <u>Brenda Carpenter</u></p>

Dear Sir:

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the Examiner's indication of all the allowed claims. It is noted, however, that the Examiner's specific statement on reasons for allowance were only directed to particular claims, namely Claims 10, 25, 45, 46, 90, 117 and 134. Applicants note that there are over 130 allowed claims and wish to make the record clear that each of such claims is believed to be patentable due to the unique features as set forth therein, whether such claims are dependent or independent claims. Applicants believe and understand the PTO has confirmed that all of the allowed claims meet the criteria for patentability under the U.S. patent laws, including compliance with §101, §102, §103, and §112.

Applicants' counsel requests the courtesy of a telephone call from the Examiner if any of these Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance do not meet with the Examiner's approval.

Respectfully submitted,

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